

**BA SOCIOLOGY
SECOND SEMESTER (REPEAT)
INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY-II
BSO - 201**

**SET
A**

(USE SEPARATE ANSWER SCRIPTS FOR OBJECTIVE & DESCRIPTIVE)

Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70

Time: 30 min.

(PART-A: Objective)

Marks: 20

Choose the correct answer from the following:

1×20=20

- In the history of the development of sociology, ----- is known as a period of remarkable intellectual development and change in philosophical thought.
 - Urbanization
 - Industrial revolution
 - Period of enlightenment
 - Religious change
- In Marxist theory, the working class is called
 - The proletariat
 - The Bourgeoisie
 - The Leftists
 - The Capitalists
- The first sociology department in North America was established in 1892 at which university?
 - Chicago
 - Stanford
 - Yale
 - Frankfurt
- Contemporary sociology is characterized by its
 - Objective orientation
 - Subjective orientation
 - Non-objective orientation
 - Non-subjective orientation
- As a social and historical period, modernity is said to have begun in the
 - 19th century
 - 20th century
 - 17th century
 - 18th century
- Which theory would explain that divorce is seen as the outcome of the shifting balance of power within a family?
 - Marxist
 - Conflict
 - Neo- Marxist
 - Feminist
- The _____ perspective had the most influence on the feminist perspective
 - Interactionist
 - Conflict
 - Functionalist
 - Global
- Which of the following is a manifest function of universities/colleges?
 - To prepare people for professional careers
 - To provide opportunities for people to find their future spouses
 - To give students enough time to exercise
 - To maintain the economic status quo

9. Theoretical position that finds meaning in the relation between things, rather than in things in isolation is?
- Feminism
 - Modernism
 - Structuralism
 - Functionalism
10. Which of the following is incorrect about Ethnomethodology?
- Ethnomethodology, literally meaning people's methodology
 - The method by which people study the social order in which they live
 - A common-sense view of the world is produced
 - Ethnomethodology is the study of the impractical methods
11. There are two central ideas indexicality and reflexivity explained in
- Phenomenology
 - Symbolic interactionism
 - Ethnomethodology
 - Subaltern perspective
12. Who made a helpful distinction between the subject's consciousness and the observer's perception?
- Heidegger
 - Alfred Schütz
 - Sartre
 - Husserl
13. Which American sociologist wrote about "me" as "the looking-glass self"?
- Herbert Blumer
 - George Homans
 - Charles Horton Cooley
 - Erving Goffman
14. The study of Exchange theory from the microeconomics perspective is attributed to
- George Homans
 - Herbert Blumer
 - Erving Goffman
 - Peter Blau
15. Subaltern refer solely to peasants who had not been integrated into the industrial capitalist system according to...
- BR Ambedkar
 - Ranajit Guha
 - Antonio Gramsci
 - David Hardiman
16. Which of the following is not the concept used by sociologists to describe multiculturalism?
- Cultural differences blending into another to form a new whole.
 - A way of approaching cultural diversity within a society.
 - Belief that members of different cultures can live peacefully alongside each other
 - View that cultural differences should be respected or even encouraged.
17. Who is regarded as one of the propounder of the philosophy of postmodernism?
- Michel Foucault
 - Jacques Derrida
 - Anthony Giddens
 - Jean-Francois Lyotard
18. Which Post- structuralist philosopher was interested in the "power- knowledge" relationship?
- Anthony Giddens
 - Michel Foucault
 - Jean Baudrillard
 - Jacques Derrida

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19. Neo-Marxism comes under the broader framework of the
- a. New Left
 - b. New Right
 - c. Opposition
 - d. Ruling
20. Which Post- structuralist came up with the concept of Deconstruction
- a. Jean Baudrillard
 - b. Michel Foucault
 - c. Ferdinand de Saussure
 - d. Jacques Derrida

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(PART-B : Descriptive)

Time : 2 hrs. 30 min.

Marks : 50

[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]

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| 1. Citing examples explain how Ethnomethodology is designed to uncover these norms and behaviours. | 5+5=10 |
| 2. Briefly discuss the growth and development of Sociology as a scientific discipline. | 10 |
| 3. Explain how Modern theories are broad extension of the Classical idea of social cohesion. | 10 |
| 4. According to the functionalist perspective, each aspect of society is interdependent and contributes to society's functioning as a whole. Justify with example. | 5+5=10 |
| 5. How can you explain Feminism as the advocacy of women's rights? | 10 |
| 6. Why is Symbolic interactionism considered as a micro-level theory? | 10 |
| 7. How can Postmodernism be explained as largely a reaction against the intellectual assumptions and values of the modern period in the history of Western philosophy? | 10 |
| 8. Briefly describe <i>any two</i> from the following: | 5+5=10 |
| a) Phenomenology | |
| b) Subaltern Perspective | |
| c) Conflict Perspective | |
| d) Multiculturalism | |

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